

**INVESTIGATIVE REPORT:**

This report pertains to an investigation of the identification of the burial location, or headstone markings, of a member of the Canadian Expeditionary Force (CEF) during the Great War 1914-1921.

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**Report Date:** 22 December 2014 (updated to standard format 25 August 2015)

**Reason for Submission:** ("X" means purpose of the report)

<b>Casualty Identification:</b>		<b>Burial Information:</b>	
Confirmed Identity	X	Burial Location Identified	X
Most Probable Identity		Grave Stone Correction	X
Questionable Identity		Grave Records Correction	X
Incorrect Identity		Request for CWGC Details	
Other		Other	

**Supporting Documents:** (# refers to attachment number; "I" information provided)

<b>Casualty Identification:</b>		<b>Burial Information:</b>	
Jenkins, Morgan Jones	i	Vis-en-Artois Cemetery	<a href="#">link</a>
P.P.C.L.I.	i	Pas de Calais, France	i
L.Cpl. #475898	i	Plot 5 Row A Grave 12	i
Date of Death 28 08 1918	<a href="#">link</a>	Burial/Exhumation 6/1/1920	i
Attestation Papers	<a href="#">link</a>	Cemetery Schematic	<a href="#">link</a>
Service Record	<a href="#">link</a>	Graves Registration Report	8
Circumstance of Death	1	Concentration of Grave	9
CEF Canada Register	2	Headstone Register	
War Diary Extract(s)	3	Casualty Spreadsheet	
Area Map(s)	4	Trench Map Exhumation	10
Trench Map(s)	5	Other Exhumation Reburial	11
Possible Candidates List	6	Grave Stone Inscription	
Excluded Candidates List	7	Memorial Inscription/Photo	
Other		Reporting and Review	12

**Summary of Findings:**

The Graves Registration Report form for Plot 5 Row A Grave 12 lists an UNKNOWN L.Cpl. P.P.C.L.I. killed in action 30-8-1918.

An analysis of the details of the action of the P.P.C.L.I. at that time and the deaths of Lance Corporals revealed that the only possible candidate for the remains was L. Cpl. Morgan Jones Jenkins #475898. All others are accounted for in the CWGC records.

## Details of Findings:

The findings are conclusive that the remains in Plot 5 Row A Grave 12 are those of Lance Corporal Morgan Jones Jenkins #475898 of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (P.P.C.L.I.).

The findings are based on the following:

1. The Circumstance of Death file of L. Cpl Jenkins states that he was "*previously reported missing and now killed in action*". He was reported missing after taking part in the attack on Jigsaw Wood, north of Boiry-Notre-Dame. Late in the afternoon of the 28<sup>th</sup> of August a comrade saw him moving forward towards the enemy despite calls from his comrades. He disappeared behind a shelter and was not seen alive again. The file reports that the reported location of his grave was Sheet 51b I23 d.6.2 (Attachment #1).
2. The Canadian War Graves Register repeats the information and confirms that the remains were not located as of 30 November 1918 and thus his name was to be included on the Vimy Memorial as a soldier having no known grave (Attachment #2).
3. The War Diary of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry confirms that the unit was in the area in late June 1918 as part of their capture of Jigsaw Wood. The narrative of the action from August 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> is referenced in the entry of August 25, 1918, as the war diary narrative was written after the battle (Attachment #3). It was during this period and at this location that L. Cpl. Jenkins went missing and was later presumed dead.
4. The area where the Canadian Expeditionary Force was extensively involved in the August 1918 Battle of Arras from August 26<sup>th</sup> to September 5<sup>th</sup> is depicted on Nicholson Map 12 (Attachment #4). An extract of that map is also provided that shows the path of the P.P.C.L.I. on the north flank of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Battalion (two of the 7<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade) to take Jigsaw Wood.
5. The path of the P.P.C.L.I. is shown on an extract of Sheet 28 of the trench maps used during that period of action in the 1918 Battle of Arras (Attachment #5). The unit was on the east side of Jigsaw Wood, precisely where the casualty report states L.Cpl. Jenkins disappeared. Where L.Cpl. Jenkins wandered off to at that time is unknown. All that is reported is that he was seen going behind a shelter after which he was never seen again.
6. There is no question that there were a large number of Canadian Soldiers lost in the 1918 Battle of Arras. The CWGC database reports 3,253 killed in action of which 58 were of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. Of these only three (3) were Lance Corporals (Lindsay, Shaver and Jenkins). Lindsay and Shaver are recorded as being buried in the Vis-en-Artois Cemetery in 4.C.11 and 10.C.10 respectively. Jenkins is reported as being named on the Vimy Memorial for the missing (Attachment #6).

7. To be absolutely sure there were no other missing Lance Corporals of the P.P.C.L.I., more than 100 records of the P.P.C.L.I. Lance Corporals were checked using the reference text of Hodder-Williams ([Volume 2](#)), available at the Archive.org web site. All of the men were accounted for other than Lance Corporal Jenkins (Attachment #7).
8. The CWGC "Graves Registration Report Form" shows that sometime after the battle, the remains of Lance Corporal Jenkins were recovered and buried in Plot 5 Row A Grave 12 of the Vis-en-Artois Cemetery in Pas de Calais, France (Attachment #8). At that time in September 1920 the identification of the remains was not completed and the date of death was reported as August 30, 1918.
9. The CWGC "Concentration of Graves (Exhumation and Reburials) Burial Return" provides the details on the location where the body of Lance Corporal Jenkins was exhumed (Attachment #9). This document, which appears to be dated 6/1/1920 contains the information that there was a cross on the battlefield grave that indicated that this unknown Lance Corporal of the P.P.C.L.I. had been killed on August 30, 1918 and was initially buried at Sheet 28 I32 d.4.5.
10. The location of the last reported location of Lance Corporal Jenkins relative to where the body was exhumed is depicted on a period extract of the Sheet 28 trench map, showing the area from Arras to Jig Saw Wood (Attachment #10). As Jenkins was not reported seen after he disappeared, the question remained as to how he moved from his last known location to a reported burial site north of Jig Saw Wood and then to the Vis-en Artois Cemetery?
11. When the initial report on Lance Corporal Jenkins was written in December 2014 (*the first of the reports written*), the standardized reporting process had not yet been developed and the investigative techniques, although sound, were in their infancy. One of the things the team learned during the intervening period was to check others exhumed and buried with the unknowns. What this revealed in this case was that Plot 5 Row A Grave 14 at Vis-en-Artois Cemetery contained the remains of Private R. C. (L.) McGihon #639536, also of the P.P.C.L.I and KIA on 26 August 1918. What this analysis clearly shows is that Pte. McGihon was initially buried in the Pelves Canadian Cemetery, 5 ½ miles east of Arras in Row A Grave 24. You will note from the CWGC Reburial that the coordinates for that site are Sheet 28 I32 d.4.5, exactly matching the exhumation location of Lance Corporal Jenkins. From that we know that after Jenkins went missing, his body was recovered and buried in the Pelves Canadian Cemetery, later exhumed and reburied at the Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery.

Referring back to the CWGC information on Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery we find a reference to the exhumations from this cemetery:

It was increased after the Armistice by the concentration of graves from the battlefields of April-June 1917, August and September 1918, and from the smaller cemeteries in the neighbourhood, including:-

PELVES CANADIAN CEMETERY, nearly 1.6 kilometres due South of the village, contained the graves of 39 soldiers from Canada who fell in August and September 1918.

**Action Required:**

The "Investigative Report" (*updated from December 2014 to the standard format in August 2015*) has been prepared in accordance with the procedures and criteria set out by the CWGC, should they wish to make any changes to the commemoration details (Attachment #12).

The evidence is conclusive that the remains in the Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery in Plot 5 Row A Grave 12 are those of Lance Corporal Morgan Jones Jenkins #475898 who was reported missing from his unit and presumed to have died on or about August 28, 1918.

ATTACHMENT #1

1. NO.	2. RANK OR RATING	3. SURNAME	4. CHRISTIAN NAMES
475898	Lance Corporal	JENKINS	Morgan Jones
5. UNIT OR SHIP	6. DATE OF CASUALTY	7. H.Q. FILE NO.	8. RELIGION
Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry	28-8-18	649-J-9580	Church of England
9. CIRCUMSTANCES OF CASUALTY		10. NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN	
<p>"Previously reported Missing, now Killed in Action." He was reported Missing after taking part with his Battalion in the attack on Jigsaw Wood, North of Boiry-Notre-Dame. A comrade states that at 4 p.m. on 28th August 1918, after reaching the final objective (the far side of Jigsaw Wood) Private Jenkins was seen to walk forward towards the enemy lines and though his comrades called to him to come back, he disappeared behind a shelter of some kind. He was not seen or heard of again alive.</p>			
11. LOCATION OF UNIT AT TIME OF CASUALTY			
NOTE:-Items 12, 13 and 14 are not to be completed until grave is permanently located.			
12. CEMETERY	13. LOCATION OF CEMETERY	14. GRAVE LOCATION	15. REGISTERED NO. OF GRAVE
		Grave.....	
		Plot.....	
		Row.....	
16. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE TAKEN	17. EXPOSURE NO.	18. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE AND CEMETERY SUPPLIED TO	
19. FURTHER PARTICULARS ON REVERSE SIDE OF SHEET.			

20. REPORTED LOCATIONS OF GRAVE.

Sheet 51b.1,23.d.6.2a

21. REMARKS.



# ATTACHMENT #2

Form E. 13  
1932 10m 19/9/18 D 425

Reg. No. 475898 Rank L/Cpl. Name JENKINS, M. J. File No. R.L. 258 1436 28807

Unit B. O. R. (P. P. C. L. I.)  
Canadian Printing & Stationery Services, London

Date of Casualty	Nature and Place of Casualty	Next-of-Kin
28-8-18.	Previously Reported MISSING	
Published on D.C.L.	Now Reported KILLED IN ACTION.	
No. A.385,		
Date 30-11-18.		

Unconfirmed Burial Report	Grave No.	Authority	Report of Circumstances of Casualty
Sh 570 NW I. 23. d. 6. 2.		BR/55-461	Received from Unit Forwarded
			Date 9. 1. 19 Ottawa
			Next-of-Kin
			Written For A.A.G. Written
			Date Date

VIMY MEMORIAL

Confirmed Burial Report	Grave No.	Authority	Burial Report Advised to Ottawa and Next-of-Kin
not fully Reg'd 27/1/19 D.R.R.6		258 1436	Ottawa
			Next-of-Kin

Revised Burial Report	Grave No.	Authority	Revised Report Advised to Ottawa and Next-of-Kin
			Ottawa
			Next-of-Kin

# ATTACHMENT #3

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These remained firing until our artillery came up to co-operate and neutralized their fire about 3.40 p.m.

In the course of the opening attack, the 51st Division on their side of the SOLEPS made a demonstration with artillery but did not advance with the 3rd Division. At 7.00 p.m. on that day the 51st Division made an attack and advanced as far as ROZEL.

At 7.00 p.m. the 30th and 31st Divisions were ordered to make a counter-attack which was broken up by our artillery fire. During the course of the night, the enemy made at least five unsuccessful bombing attacks, on our left Company, especially along a trench in which a stranded tank served as a good block. These attacks were all successfully repulsed with large casualties to the 30th, at one period only the tank being between the attacking party and our men, bombs being thrown over the tank. For a considerable part of the time, the enemy's party occupied a position on the east side of the tank, while the left Company held their position on the other side. On one occasion a party of enemy were seen three hundred yards in rear, firing on a stretcher party, they were engaged by Lewis Gun fire and retired, leaving one prisoner in our hands.

At the start of the advance it rained heavily; clearing in the afternoon. Aeroplanes assisted materially in the attack in spite of rain and low clouds. No contact work was possible during the morning.

Next day, the 27th., the same condition obtained, machine gun fire being very heavy particularly on our left flank, which was still in the air.

At about 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon the Battalion received orders to bomb their way to FEMERS, along FATION, FATION and CATHEDRAL HEDGES. Two parties of four men each, one under LIENIE, HAROLD and GILVIE and one under LIENIE ROSS, were sent along these trenches. LIENIE ROSS's party succeeded in securing a considerable trench for a distance of 200 yards, meeting with considerable opposition for the greater part of the way. Large numbers of the enemy were met with and as the supply of bombs was very short and machine guns from both flanks were firing on his party, LIENIE ROSS was forced to withdraw, which he did with only a few casualties. In the meantime, the party bombing along CATHEDRAL HEDGES under LIENIE, SARGENT and GILVIE, who did not advance very far, withdrew in order to conform with the other party's withdrawal. Snipers were posted to cut off any Germans who might be retreating overland. So many targets presented themselves, that a Lewis Gun Garrisoning the trench was brought up and put into action, and very severe casualties were inflicted upon the enemy in this way. During the withdrawal one of the Lewis Guns brought out by the bombing party, was employed to cover their withdrawal.

The party had nine casualties. One prisoner was captured, who stated that there was an inter-division gun Company relief at the time of the attack. This accounted for the large number of men who were found to occupy the trench. By this time, No. 1 Company had all its officers killed, with a large number of other rank casualties had occurred in both front-line Companies. LIENIE GILVIE was slightly wounded during the raid and remained at duty.

When the parties returned, the 30th followed up and several of our snipers were posted in a position whence they could enfilade the trench. After inflicting about eight or ten casualties on the enemy, who were hurried away from the trench. The opposition was still strong and this operation had not improved our position. Up to this time the Battalion had captured large numbers of machine guns and over one hundred prisoners from five different Regiments.

RELIEF OFFICERS' CANADIAN LINE INFANTRY.

NARRATIVE OF OPERATIONS - August 25th/29th 1918

(Reference Map:- CANADIAN ROAD AND RAIL)

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On Sunday night, August 25th 1918, the Battalion moved from "Y" Camp to assembly position in the neighbourhood of MURPHY, to take part in an attack next morning, with the object of clearing AERAS and the opening up of the AERAS-ROZEL RAILWAY.

At 2.00 a.m. on the morning of the 26th., the 8th Cdn. Infantry Brigade attacked and advanced through ORANGE HILL to MURPHY.

At 6.45 a.m. the Battalion received orders to attack, and assembled on the Western slope of ORANGE HILL; further orders to attack were not received until 9.00 a.m., when the Battalion moved forward in the following order:- No. 1 Company on the RIGHT, No. 2 Company on the LEFT, No. 4 Company in SUPPORT and No. 3 Company in REAR. The total trench system was 1,000 yards long, 24 Officers and 582 other ranks. On the 26th. the Royal Canadian Regiment, on the LEFT the 49th Cdn. Battalion, these were to throw out a protecting screen on our left flank. The 51st Divn. co-operating on our left to the north of the SOLEPS.

The Battalion leap-frogged through the 8th Cdn. Inf. Bde, along MILLS TRENCH, and advanced with some opposition and taking a number of prisoners with but slight casualties, as far as FATION HEDGES, where they were subjected to very heavy machine gun fire from the Village of FATIONS on the left and in FATION HEDGES and from Crest of Ridge. The final objective was a line running from JIGSAW WOOD on the North to ROZEL on the South.

Two tanks were allotted to the Battalion, and when the advance was held up in FATION HEDGES, the tanks were sent forward to overcome the machine gun posts, but were put out of action on the way up and were of no further assistance; though the crews of the tanks materially assisted by dismantling the tank and using their machine guns with our men in the trenches. This check occurred at about 12 noon, and we advanced no further that day. All through the afternoon, the front line Companies suffered severe casualties from Machine Gun enfilade fire and snipers.

Re-4. was established in MUSKIE HEDGES (1.31.4.3.8.) which was subjected to heavy shelling during the afternoon with 5.9 and 8" guns.

During the afternoon, the enemy shelled MURPHY and the SUPPORT LINE heavily. The SUPPORT Company took up their position in DAVIS TRENCH. As the front line Companies had suffered severe casualties, all four platoons of the Support Company were sent up to reinforce the front line; this was early in the afternoon and as No. 1 Company had lost all of its officers, LIENIE WATTS assumed command of the right front line Company, Captain FERRIS being still in command of the left.

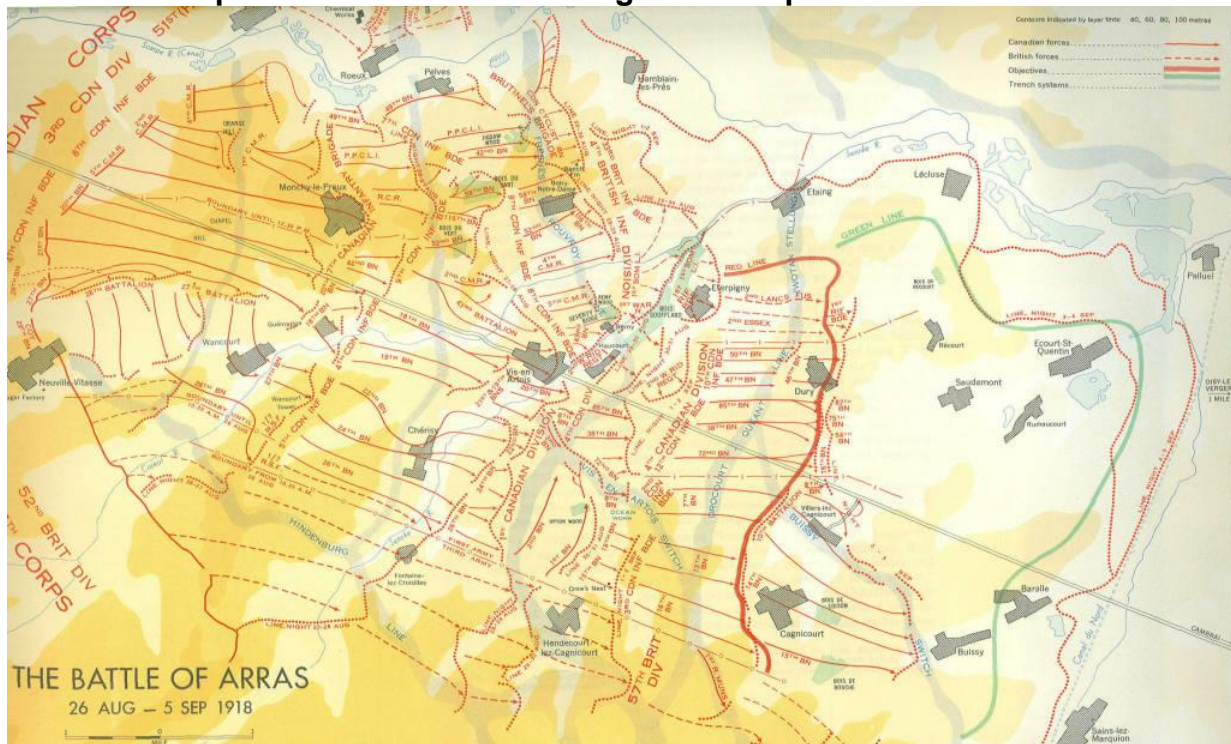
At this time, the right front line Company consisted of what was left of No. 1 Company and 2 platoons of No. 4 Company.

Later in the afternoon, a platoon of No. 3 Company under LIENIE MURPHY was sent up as a further reinforcement to the right front line Company. Up to this time communication had been continuous with the Battalion on the right, but the whole Brigade advance was met with strong opposition and was held up. Our left flank continued in the air during the whole of the day and was subjected to heavy machine gun fire. An interval of 1,000 yards existed between the left flank and the river, and the enemy held a position to the immediate left and somewhat to the rear, directing not only machine gun fire, but also artillery fire from 5.9 guns in FATION HEDGES.

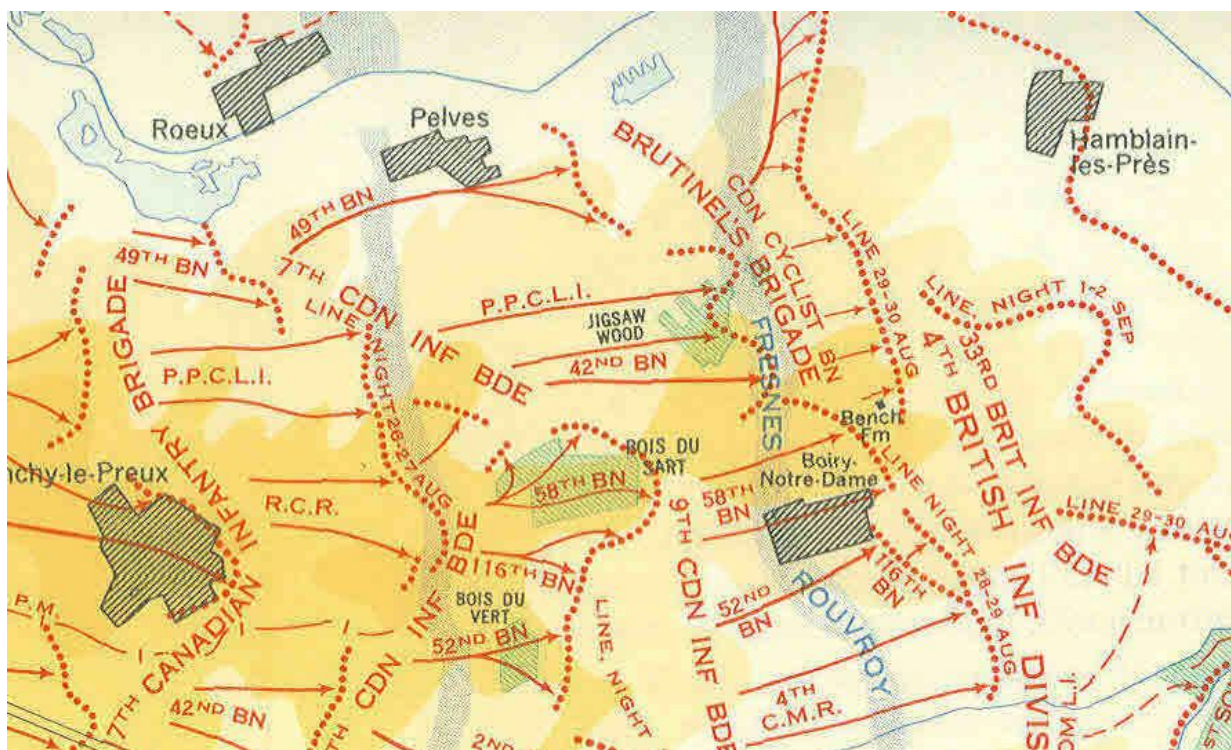


# **ATTACHMENT #4**

**Nicholson Map 12: Battle of Arras 26 August – 5 September 1918**



**Extract of Nicholson Map 12: Bois de Sart & Jigsaw Wood**








## **ATTACHMENT #5**

**McMaster Trench Map Collection 51B NW:**



## ATTACHMENT #6

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Name	Rank	Service Number	Date of Death	Age	Regiment / Service	Service Country	Grave / Memorial Reference	Cemetery / Memorial Name	Docs.
LINDSAY, W	Lance Corporal	769652	27/08/1918		Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (Eastern Ontario Regiment)	Canadian	IV. C. 11.	VIS-EN-ARTOIS BRITISH CEMETERY, HAUCOURT	
SHAVER, A J	Lance Corporal	246576	26/08/1918		Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (Eastern Ontario Regiment)	Canadian	X. C. 10.	VIS-EN-ARTOIS BRITISH CEMETERY, HAUCOURT	
JENKINS, MORGAN JONES	Lance Corporal	475898	28/08/1918	32	Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (Eastern Ontario Regiment)	Canadian		VIMY MEMORIAL	

# ATTACHMENT #7

Name	Number	Day	Month	Year	Name	Number	Day	Month	Year	Name	Number	Day	Month	Year	Name	Number	Day	Month	Year
E. H. Aldweinkle	489851	30	10	1917	P. Cross	78	8	5	1915	C. E. Horner	19	15	4	1915	C. A. Philon	457990	15	9	1916
F. J. Anderson	475751	24	1	1917	R. Cushman	489773	28	9	1918	W. J. Huston	795	24	1	1915	C. D. Richardson	475465	9	4	1917
G. W. Bailey	669012	9	4	1917	C. T. Darling	475271	15	9	1916	W. J. Jenkins	475898	28	8	1918	P. Robson	105372	7	7	1918
A. Batten	539	5	5	1915	E. L. Davey-Thomas	1712	20	2	1915	G. Johnstone	44	12	10	1915	J. H. Rosher	1128	20	3	1915
A. Bailey	1570	7	5	1917	R. J. Dawson	475818	15	9	1916	G. J. C. Joliffe	51240	8	5	1915	D. S. Rough	411027	12	8	1915
J. Baker	51084	4	6	1915	F. Dobie	229	7	5	1916	P. D. Kisbey	411092	2	6	1916	J. C. Shipton	411015	16	1	1916
G. Batchelor	1519	27	2	1915	F. A. Evans	6224	14	3	1916	A. H. Law	475914	30	10	1917	H. A. Skene	487494	30	10	1917
E. S. Bell	205	15	9	1917	W. J. Evans	411101	15	9	1916	J. D. King	45	8	5	1915	G. W. Stayman	23217	2	6	1916
H. G. Bellinger	1264	8	1	1915	H. A. Finlayson	475843	8	10	1916	H. R. Kissack	552022	12	8	1918	C. J. Swan	1629	15	9	1916
W. H. Bennett	228390	30	10	1917	N. Fry	252	8	1	1915	W. Lindsay	769652	27	8	1918	W. S. Telfer	622753	9	4	1917
E. H. Bicker	157359	9	4	1917	A. Elliott	704	12	8	1916	T. G. McLean	475969	19	6	1916	W. Sowden	64	8	5	1915
T. Bowit	1639	7	5	1915	P. E. Ellis	769920	30	10	1917	W. MacLurg	475368	15	9	1916	O. Stevenson	104555	30	10	1917
J. Bowness	163	8	5	1915	N. R. English	475373	15	9	1916	A. R. McQueen	62	2	6	1916	G. B. Stewart	1625	8	5	1915
C. A. Bradley	411004	2	6	1916	T. Flintoft	645	2	6	1916	J. P. Mahoney	22774	18	3	1916	F. I. Taylor	476047	16	9	1916
A. Bramley-Moore	1834	28	3	1916	R. M. Gibson	487442	9	4	1917	W. McKenzie	51268	15	3	1915	L. A. Volker	476054	15	9	1916
W. Bullen	763	13	7	1915	W. H. Grainger	51186	9	4	1917	F. G. Martyn	41134	2	6	1916	J. Waldron	214	23	3	1915
E. F. Burton	1553	8	5	1915	J. E. Gray	475381	30	10	1917	R. A. B. Mitchell	51028	24	3	1915	T. Welch	51487	23	3	1915
G. Blake	51087	8	5	1915	A. W. H. Greene	29	2	6	1916	J. H. Murphy	1740	25	1	1915	D. D. Wilson	487490	5	7	1915
R. C. Bradford	222	18	12	1916	A. Hall	710	8	5	1915	J. R. Newell	670083	30	10	1917	S. Tretise	1318	8	5	1915
A. H. Casewell	784930	30	10	1917	W. Harkness	35	2	6	1916	G. Matthews	281	30	6	1915	F. Warner	144	4	5	1915
W. J. Causton	51089	8	5	1915	E. Hartley	1793	23	4	1915	J. M. Meadowcroft	489857	12	3	1918	G. E. Welbourne	487395	15	9	1916
T. Campbell	487430	13	5	1917	W. Harvey	51190	4	8	1915	P. Michael	1840	19	3	1916	E. D. Wilson	273	20	3	1918
E. H. Case	487297	26	4	1917	R. V. Holland	51196	8	5	1915	H. M. Murray	475951	13	4	1917	H. Woodcock	1033	8	5	1915
F. Cavanagh	11	4	5	1915	A. Hutchinson	475892	9	4	1917	A. Ramage	71	2	6	1916					
G. M. Channell	2193311	28	9	1918	H. Jackson	138	8	5	1915	E. H. Parsons	71	2	6	1916					
C. Coke	1012	20	3	1915	W. Hope	487367	30	10	1917	R. C. Pepler	652	24	1	1915					



# ATTACHMENT #8

M.M. **COMPREHENSIVE REPORT.** Army Form W. 3372 5-8-20

**GRAVES REGISTRATION REPORT FORM.**

NO **1st. "B" 240.** REPORT No. **1,** SCHEDULE No. **602.**  
**COMMUNE: -HAUCOURT.** Certified correct and Complete.  
**PLACE OF BURIAL VIS-EN-ARTOIS BRITISH CEMETERY.** *103 1.9.20*  
**Major.**

Map Reference **51b.0.23.d.3.7.**  
This Report cancels previous Report NO.1. Schedules 1. to **20/c** inclusive,  
1. Schedule 1/c to 20/c inclusive,  
The following are buried here:—

**PLOT 5. ROW "A"**

Regiment	No.	Name	Rank and Initials	Date of Death	Comp. Erected on O. R. U. S. DATE	Plot, Row and Grave
<b>19 NOV 1920</b>	<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>BRITISH SOLDIER.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>1.02</b>
	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>2.02</b>
<b>Border Regt.</b>	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>3.02</b>
<b>R.C.R.</b>	<b>207010</b>	<b>HARDING.</b>	<b>CPL. J.W.</b>	<b>30-8-18</b>	<b>E.</b>	<b>4.02</b>
	<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>BRITISH SOLDIER.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>5.02</b>
	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>6.02</b>
	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>7.02</b>
	"	"	<b>OFFICER.</b>	<i>by name for identification See 5/24599</i>	<b>E.</b>	<b>8.02</b>
	"	"	<b>SOLDIER.</b>		<b>E.</b>	<b>9.02</b>
	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>10.02</b>
	"	"	"		<b>E.</b>	<b>11.02</b>
<b>PPC.L.I.</b>		<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>L.CPL.</b>	<b>30-8-18</b>	<b>E.</b>	<b>12.02</b>
<b>S.W.B.</b>	<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>BRITISH SOLDIER.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>13.02</b>
<b>P.P.C.L.I.</b>	<b>659536</b>	<b>MCGIHON.</b>	<b>PTE. R.C.</b>	<b>26-8-18</b>	<b>G.R.U.</b>	<b>14.02</b>
	<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>BRITISH SOLDIER.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>15.02</b>
<b>Rifles.</b>	"	<b>CANADIAN.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>16.02</b>
	"	<b>BRITISH SOLDIER.</b>			<b>E.</b>	<b>17.02</b>
<b>P.P.C.L.I.</b>	<b>513822</b>	<b>SILSON.</b>	<b>PTE. G.R.</b>	<b>26-8-18</b>	<b>E.</b>	<b>18.02</b>

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# ATTACHMENT #9

6/1/1920

CONCENTRATION OF GRAVES (Exhumation and Reburial)

**BURIAL RETURN.**

Name of Cemetery of Reburial: VIS-EN-ARTOIS B.C. 516 033.21.1

Plot	Row	Grave	Map Reference where body found	Was grave on ground?	Regimental particulars	Means of Identification	Were any effects forwarded to Home?
5	A	9	02a 5.3	Yes	Unknown British Soldier	-	Yes
		10	02a 1.0	-	200 200	-	-
		11	02a 5.2	-	200 200	-	-
		12	02a 4.5	Yes	Unknown Lane English	Killed 20/8/18	-
		13	02a 5.2	Yes	Unknown British Soldier	Killed 20/8/18	-
		14	02a 4.5	Yes	639535 1st Bn. G. Coy. 1st Div. 1st Army	Killed 20/8/18	-
		15	02a 4.5	Yes	Unknown British Soldier	-	-
		16	02a 6.4	-	200 200	200 (Canadian 1st Div.)	-
		17	02a 6.4	-	200 200	-	-

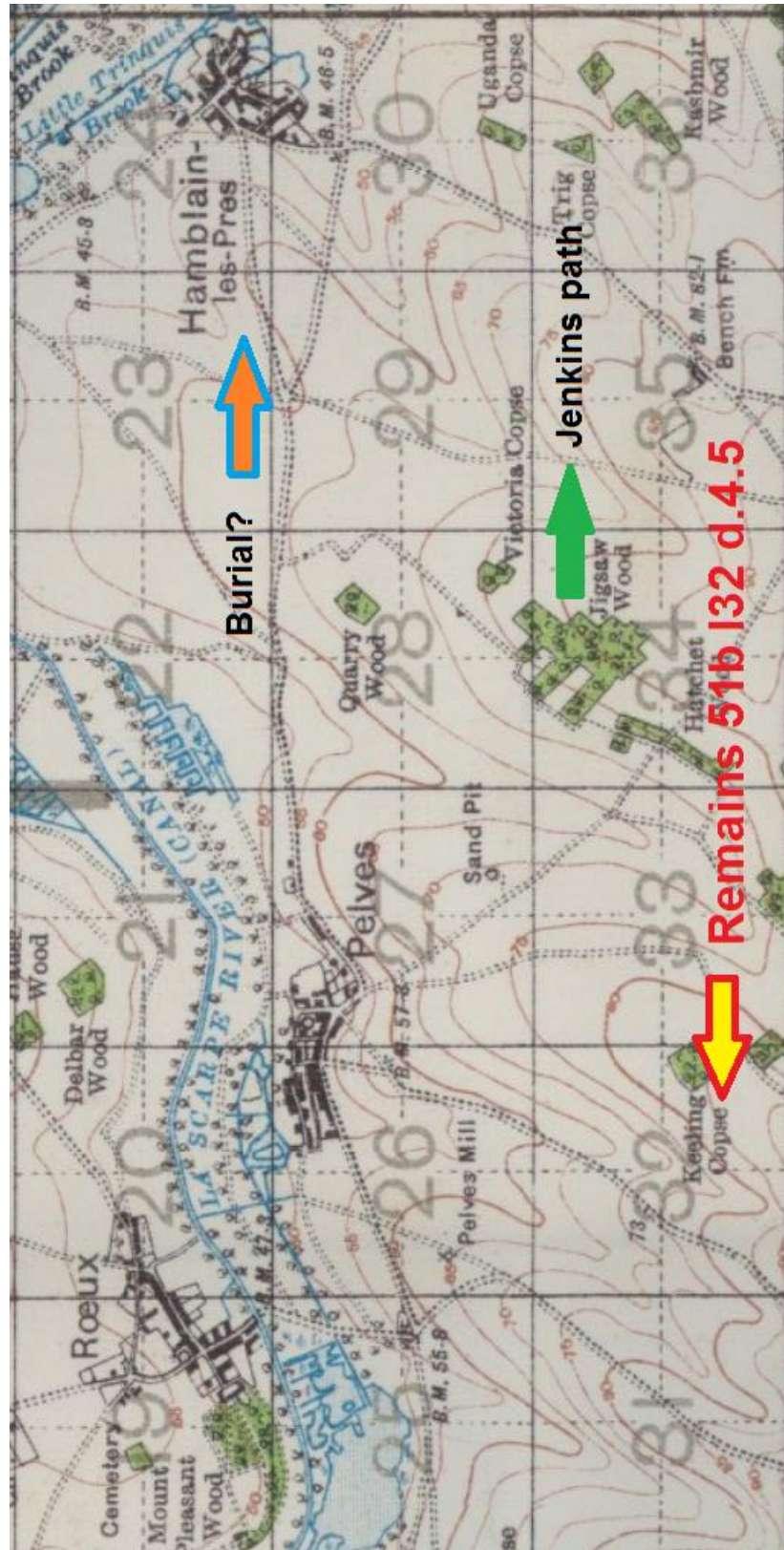
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This form to be made out in triplicate, two copies being handed to the D.A.D. (C. of G.) and the other retained by the Burial Officer.

W.C. 516 033.21.1



## ATTACHMENT #10





# ATTACHMENT #11

1. NO. 639535	2. RANK OR RATING Private	3. SURNAME McGILHON	4. CHRISTIAN NAMES Richard Louis
5. UNIT OR SHIP Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry	6. DATE OF CASUALTY 26-8-18	7. H.Q. FILE NO. 649-M-25629	8. RELIGION Methodist
9. CIRCUMSTANCES OF CASUALTY "Killed in Action" While advancing in the attack, he was killed by enemy machine gun fire.		10. NAME, RELATIONSHIP AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN	
11. LOCATION OF UNIT AT TIME OF CASUALTY ATTACK NORTH EAST OF MONCHY.			
NOTE—Items 12, 13 and 14 are not to be completed until grave is permanently located.			
12. CEMETERY Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery,	13. LOCATION OF CEMETERY 8 miles South East of Arras, France.	14. GRAVE LOCATION Grave..... Plot..... Row.....	15. REGISTERED NO. OF GRAVE
16. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE TAKEN	17. EXPOSURE NO.	18. PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE AND CEMETERY SUPPLIED TO	
19. FURTHER PARTICULARS ON REVERSE SIDE OF SHEET.			

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20. REPORTED LOCATIONS OF GRAVE  
Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery, Plot 5. Row A. Grave 14.

21. REMARKS  
Exhumed from: Felves Canadian Cemetery, 5½ miles East of Arras, Row A. Grave 24.

## **ATTACHMENT #12**

This “*Reporting and Review*” attachment is provided to assist all parties in the submission of an investigative report related to the identification of the burial location, or headstone markings, of a member of the Canadian Expeditionary Force (CEF) during the Great War 1914-1921. The Commonwealth War Graves Commission (CWGC) receives a copy of this report in the event they wish to make changes to the commemoration details. In order to alter the records, the CWGC has set out their criteria for the procedure and submission of cases for review, as detailed below. The CWGC is under no obligation to make changes based on a report.

<b>Procedure:</b>	<b>Guideline Criteria for Submission:</b>
All new identification cases need to be assessed in the first instance by the Canadian Agency (CA) and submissions should go to their office directly. After an initial assessment, if the Agency feels that the case is compelling, they will then pass all the documentation to the Commemorations Team at the Commission's Head Office. Head Office will then review the case and inform the CA of their findings. The Canadian authorities will then decide whether or not any changes to the arrangements for commemoration are required and inform the Commission accordingly.	Cases need to present clear and convincing evidence to prove the identity of a casualty and must not be based on assumption or speculation. The Commission's Commemoration Team will also consider whether the findings of a better informed contemporary investigation are being revisited and if there is any new evidence to consider. By way of example, it is unlikely that the Commission would support a revision of the arrangements for the commemoration where it is apparent that no new evidence is being presented and, a better informed previous decision is being revisited some 100 years later.

The following have participated in the preparation, review and submission of this report on a voluntary basis. Those noted below have read the investigative report and compared it to the criteria set out by the CWGC, as a guiding principle, and have agreed to have their name included as part of the review team. The CWGC may contact any of the reviewers at the e-mail address provided below.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>	<b>E-mail</b>	<b>Contribution</b>
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